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Sir:

This is a request for filing a  continuation  divisional application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b), of pending prior application no. 09/091,483 filed on June 19, 1998.

of : **Markus BAUR, Catherine MACE, Armand MALNOE, Andrea PFEIFER, and Marcelle REGNIER**  
 (inventor(s) currently of record in prior application)

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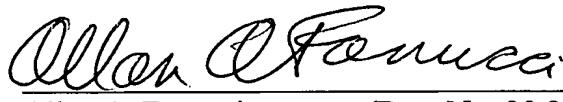
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